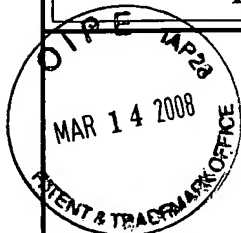


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In Re Application Of: SRIHARI et al.						
Application No. 10/611,329	Filing Date 06/30/2003	Examiner Gregory M. Desire	Customer No. 24041	Group Art Unit 2624	Confirmation No. 3822	
Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ANALYZING AND/OR COMPARING HANDWRITTEN AND/OR BIOMETRIC SAMPLES						
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u> This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>11/14/2007</u> in the above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Date</div> The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Two months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Three months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Four months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start; margin-top: 5px;"><div>from: <u>02/14/2008</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div></div><div>until: <u>03/14/2008</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div></div> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:</div>						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	16 -	22 =	0	x \$25.00	\$0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	5 -	10 =	0	x \$105.00	\$0.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00	
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					60	
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$60.00	
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$60.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **50-0822**
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-0822**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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